

Sheppard Guilty Of Second Degree Murder Sentenced To Life Term; Eligible For Parole In 10 Years

PSEA Seeks \$600 Yearly Salary Boost

HARRISBURG, Dec. 21 (AP)—The Pennsylvania State Education Assn. plans to seek a \$400 a year pay boost from the 1955 Legislature in addition to the \$200 teachers will receive automatically under a mandated salary boost.

"The salary program is essential to maintain an adequate program of education for the boys and girls of our commonwealth," the PSEA Legislative Committee said in a special report.

Details of the legislative program will be worked out at the association's annual convention here Dec. 27-29. The organization represents more than 60,000 Pennsylvania teachers.

The committee report also proposed that in addition to the \$600 a year pay boost teachers with 10 or more years of service receive a \$200 a year experience increment, effective in 1956-57.

This boost would be limited to teachers who earn less than the mandated maximum. The PSEA is seeking a maximum of \$5,000 for teachers with college certificates. Pennsylvania ranks 14th among the states in average salary of classroom teachers (\$3,832).

Each \$200 a year salary boost for teachers means an added 12 millions a year to state and local education costs.

The association plan calls for increasing the present minimum from \$2,400 to \$3,600, plus 10 annual increments of \$200 each to bring the mandated maximum to \$5,000.

To help school districts bear this increased cost, the PSEA Legislative Committee asked that the minimum state subsidies per teaching unit be increased from \$4,700 to \$5,100 immediately. The maximum subsidy as fixed by existing law at \$5,500 for 1959-60 would go up to \$6,000 under the PSEA plan.

Other portions of the PSEA legislative program suggested:

1. Increase salaries of faculty members of state teachers' colleges and improve the pay of employees of the public instruction department.

2. Broaden teachers' retirement benefits to give survivor benefits to a widow and children under 18 years of age.

3. Increase retirement benefits by \$5 a month for each year of service to all those who retired prior to May 1, 1951, and who now are receiving a pension.

4. Retain the present teacher tenure law without change.

5. Remove the \$25 million dollar ceiling on school authority building construction which qualifies for state aid.

James Hilton, Author Of Best Seller, Dies

LONG BEACH, Calif., Dec. 21 (AP)—James Hilton, the quiet, shy creator of "Mr. Chips" and the heaven-on-earth known as Shangri-la, is dead at the age of 54.

The British-born author died late last night of liver cancer, which hospitalized him a month ago. He was working on another novel which he hoped would take its place with his best sellers, "Goodbye, Mr. Chips," "Lost Horizon," and "Random Harvest."

Many of his books were made into successful movies.

Earthquake Causes One Drowning, Heavy Damage

By HAROLD V. STREETER

EUREKA, Calif., Dec. 21 (AP)—This northern California lumber port city and logging towns around it were violently shaken just before noon by a two-minute rolling earthquake that caused one death.

At least 20 persons were slightly injured. The damage exceeded a million dollars.

"The sudden shock at 11:57 a.m. PST—2:57 p.m., EST—hurled Carl Wilkerson, 42, into a lumber mill pond while he was eating lunch. He drowned.

Mrs. James Walsh, wife of a dentist, who had just given birth to a baby in Eureka's St. Joseph Hospital, rolled three feet across the delivery room floor on a table. Her new-born baby son spun in his bassinette in another direction. The stool shot out from under the attending surgeon, Dr. Ted W. Loring, who "thought the whole hos-

pital was coming down."

Two boys, James Linier, 12, and Larry Devore, 13, who were trout fishing near Blue Lake, said they narrowly escaped being "swallowed up." They said the shallow creek in which they were wading parted to make a trench a foot wide and 3 feet deep.

Miss Lola Kennedy, an elevator operator, was trapped for more than an hour between the first and second floors of Eureka's Commercial Building when the tremor shut off power.

In West Eureka, the quake caused one earth crack 8 inches wide and 5 feet deep. U.S. Highway 101 buckled between Eureka and Arcadia.

Bottles, cans and goods in stores of a six-block area in downtown Eureka were dumped on the floor, walls cracked, and the area was roped off.

Tonight, Christmas shoppers were warned by Eureka's police chief to keep out of the area because of weakened walls.

Eureka's old City Hall and the Humboldt County Courthouse were so severely damaged that they had to be evacuated. The City Council first scheduled an emergency meeting tonight in the City Hall, then held it elsewhere.

Radiators were ripped from the wall at Humboldt County Community Hospital.

A score of persons suffered minor cuts and injuries from falling debris or glass.

Nearly every building and home in this city of 25,000 was damaged, most superficially, but adding up to a tremendous property loss.

Democrats Select Andrews For Speaker Of State House

HARRISBURG, Dec. 21 (AP)—General Assembly Democrats today named Rep. H. G. Andrews (Cambria) as their candidate for speaker of the House and Sen. John H. Dent (Westmoreland) as a token candidate for Senate president pro tempore.

Holding a 112-98 voting edge in the House, the Democrats' choice of Andrews, five-time floor leader, assured the veteran legislator of election as speaker when the 1955 Assembly convenes Jan. 4.

Dent will be proposed in the Senate, but the 26-24 working majority that the Republicans hold should mean reelection of GOP Sen. M. Harvey Taylor (Dauphin), who has been president pro tempore five times.

However, Taylor is doubtful of support from two GOP colleagues — Sens. George N. Wade, Cumberland County, and Harold E. Flack, Luzerne County.

Should Wade and Flack oppose Taylor, that would leave room for a Democrat to take over due to the slim GOP vote margin in that house.

Dent at the same time was re-elected by his colleagues as Democratic Senate floor leader. A fiery speaker, the western Pennsylvania has been a member of the State Senate since 1936.

Rep. Albert S. Readinger (Berks) was selected by House Democrats as floor leader succeeding Andrews.

Readinger previously had been a candidate for speaker. He withdrew after a chat some days ago with Sen. Joseph M. Barr, state Democratic chairman.

Prior to their scheduled caucus, the Democratic senators lunched with Gov.-elect George M. Leader. Leader made no formal remarks at the gathering.

Election of party officers in the Senate went according to expectations. Sen. Frank W. Ruth (Berks) was named party whip, and Sen. John J. Haluska (Cambria) again was named caucus chairman for the 1955 session.

In the House more positions were at stake since the Democrats hold a majority there for the first time since 1941.

Dag Postpones Peiping Trip; To See Nehru

UNITED NATIONS, N. Y., Dec. 21 (AP)—U. N. Secretary General Dag Hammarskjöld will hold up his arrival in Peiping until early January so he can confer first with Prime Minister Nehru of India.

This was reported in informed quarters here today as Hammarskjöld took off from Stockholm for a return flight to New York. He is scheduled to arrive tomorrow and will plunge immediately into top-level conferences about his mission to Peiping.

He is trying to enlist the support of all neutral countries in this mission.

Hammarskjöld will fly to Peiping to seek the release of 11 American aviators jailed by Red China as spies and to do what he can about repatriating other Americans and U. N. personnel reported still unaccounted for by the Chinese Communists.

It was reported he would depart from the U. N. some time next week and would talk with British Foreign Secretary Anthony Eden in London. Britain gave the United States strong backing in Washington's plan to have the Assembly condemn Red China for jailing the aviators and asking Hammarskjöld to work for their release. Because of this teamwork, the resolution was approved 47-5.

From London, Hammarskjöld will fly to New Delhi.

It was reported he would time this flight to arrive in New Delhi as Nehru returns from a conference of the prime ministers and foreign ministers of the Colombo powers. This will open in Bogor, about 20 miles from Jakarta, Indonesia, on Dec. 28 or Dec. 29. It will continue about 10 days or two weeks but Nehru is expected to return to New Delhi around Jan. 1. He would see Hammarskjöld promptly and the U. N. secretary general then could take off on the last leg of his flight to Peiping.

Nehru is partly responsible for Hammarskjöld making the trip. When the Assembly acted Hammarskjöld sent a message direct to Chou En-lai, prime minister of Communist China, asking whether Chou would receive him in Peiping around Dec. 26.

The Assembly instructed Hammarskjöld to report by Dec. 31 but in accepting the assignment he indicated he would not do so.

White Christmas Forecast For Northeast Area

WASHINGTON, Dec. 21 (AP)—Many millions of Americans will wake up to a white Christmas this year, the Weather Bureau said today.

In a special Christmas bulletin today, the Weather Bureau forecast a white Christmas for most of the heavily populated northeastern quarter of the country as well as the Rocky Mountain area, the central plateau, the Sierra and the Cascade country.

As for that northeastern section: "The snow cover should extend from eastern North Dakota and western Illinois eastward except for the coastal plains from New Jersey southward through Virginia where snow cover is expected to be light and spotty.



Dr. Samuel Sheppard

U.S. Court Sentences Woman Spy

BERLIN, Dec. 21 (AP)—A U.S. High Commission Court sentenced a 24-year-old German brunette beauty today to five years in prison for betraying to the Russians military secrets she wangled from her two American lovers; both U.S. Intelligence officials.

Irma Margarethe Schmidt had pleaded guilty, but sobbed at the sentence.

"I can't take it," she said. "It's too much."

High Commission Judge Ambrose Fuller of Chicago ignored her tears and rejected a recommendation by U.S. prosecutor Thomas K. Lancia for a three-year term.

"If these cases are serious enough to be tried, they are serious enough to be punished," the judge said.

Miss Schmidt, still weeping, was led away to begin her sentence.

Described before the court as one of the most dangerous spies encountered here since World War II, she was wearing a form-fitting American blue suit and nylon stockings and her dark hair was neatly coiffured.

Her trial lasted less than an hour.

Dulles Reports West Building Strong Defense

WASHINGTON, Dec. 21 (AP)—Secretary Dulles said today that, no matter how Russia wheedles or threatens, the West is building a European defense strong enough to throw back any aggressor "at the threshold."

Dulles made the statement in a prepared paper he read at his news conference. In response to questions, he also declared the tasks of defending Europe and the Far East are different, problems—one dependent upon forces in being, the other on swift retaliatory power.

Defense To Appeal Jury's Verdict; New Trial Sought

CLEVELAND, Dec. 21 (AP)—Dr. Samuel Sheppard, a stunned disbelief stamped starkly across his handsomely boyish face, heard himself convicted today of second-degree murder. It took his jury five days to reach a verdict, just one minute less than 102 hours.

He was sentenced immediately to life imprisonment for the July 4 murder of Marilyn Sheppard, his 31-year-old wife of nine years, who tried to hold his love against the allure of other women. The state had asked the death penalty.

Marilyn was four months pregnant with her second child when she was beaten to death in bed with a savagery that left her head all but shapeless from 35 blows. Dr. Sheppard blamed the murder on a prowling, bushy-haired stranger.

"I am not guilty," the 30-year old osteopath insisted to the court and jury just before he was led out of the courtroom.

Dr. Sheppard, with long expressive fingers that bespeak his once-thriving surgical practice, could have gotten the electric chair. Instead he will be eligible for parole in 10 years.

His defense lawyer said they will appeal the conviction and expressed confidence it could be upset. Meanwhile, they sought a new trial—a legal prelude to an appeal. Common Pleas Judge Edward Blythin set a hearing for Dec. 30. A trial judge rarely, if ever, reverses his own conduct of a case by granting a new trial.

Sheppard was taken back to his cell in the county jail. Sheriff Joseph Sweeney said he would hold the prisoner until he got orders from the court. The sheriff added that he expected to hold the osteopath at least until his motion for a new trial is heard.

Dr. Sheppard took the verdict with an audible gasp, but without any of the tears he shed so often during the trial.

Just before he was led manacled from the courtroom by his cell two floors above, the 6-foot osteopath twisted his head over his right shoulder for a last rueful look at the jury of seven men and five women.

From beginning to end, Sheppard presented an appearance of complete disbelief, of a man who just could not grasp that this was something that was happening to him.

As he stood before Judge Blythin, Dr. Sheppard responded to an invitation from the court by saying in a slightly trembling voice:

"I would like to say, sir, that I am not guilty and I feel there have been facts presented before this court that definitely have proven that I couldn't have performed this crime."

Dr. Sheppard's trial began Oct. 18 and was the longest and most spectacular in Cleveland's history. It ended its 10th week Monday and the verdict came on the 65th day.

The jury got the case at 10:13 a.m., EST, last Friday. Actual deliberations ran 39 hours and 25 minutes before a buzzer signal at 4:12 p.m. today notified the judge a verdict had been reached.

Juror Reveals Little Argument Over Sam's Guilt

CLEVELAND, Dec. 21 (AP)—A woman on the Sheppard murder trial jury said tonight the panel voted "so many, so many times" during its deliberations that she could not keep track of the number.

She was Mrs. Lucile Williams, a divorced mother of four children and the only Negro on the jury.

Reached for comment at her home, she was asked whether much time was spent in argument with those who might have favored an acquittal. Her reply was, "no."

She refused to answer another question: "Did you mostly consider the degree of murder that you thought the defendant was guilty of?"

Leader Names Man, Woman To Cabinet

HARRISBURG, Dec. 21 (AP)—Gov.-elect George M. Leader today appointed Gerald A. Gleason, Philadelphia, as his secretary of revenue and Mrs. Ruth Grigg Horting, Lancaster, as secretary of public assistance.

Gleason, a 52-year-old former U. S. Attorney, was described by Leader as "an exceptionally capable administrator."

Mayor David L. Lawrence, of Pittsburgh, said Leader disclosed the Horting appointment originally to be released tomorrow at a Democratic caucus of House members.

Each of the cabinet jobs pays \$15,000 a year. The appointments increase to four the number of cabinet designations that Leader has made.

He previously designated Herbert B. Cohen, York, as attorney general, and Dr. William L. Henning, State College, as secretary of agriculture.

Meet Your Neighbors

—by Horace G. Heller

Henry (With An O-H-HO!) McCord, letting the bars down yesterday and sleighing the girls at the Courthouse with a sneak preview of his Santa Claus suit and whiskers...

Albert G. (East Boro R2) Saffin recently promoted to corporal while serving with 9th Infantry Division, Fort Carson, Colo. ... congratulations...

Airman 3rd Class James R. (Mr. and Mrs. Jim's) Bonser, of 815 Sarah St., home on leave for the holiday from Scit AFC in Illinois...

Mrs. Nancy A. (of Mrs. N. Fifth Street) Hurry now in Somerset Hospital, Somerville, N. J., suffered a stroke late in November... showing improvement... how about some cheer...

Airman First Class Wayne (Mr. and Mrs. Elmer's) Rusline home on leave for Christmas from Texas...

Corp. Walter (Mr. and Mrs. Frank's) Kintner, Minisink Hills, left Korea recently for the U. S. ... he's served there since last January.

What Christmas Means To Me

(Editor's Note: This is one of a series of articles being written by area residents on the meaning of Christmas. Some of the articles were prepared at the request of The Daily Record.)

By HELEN RANDOL KISTLER
276 Prospect St., East Stroudsburg

A RE-BIRTH of purity, beauty and peace—faith, hope and charity ("the greatest of these being charity"). We ourselves can still use the old one—we will buy the new one for some one else. Oh that it might live from December to December.—From Dawn to Dawn!

A time when the children, who in our blind busy-ness had seemed a little noisy, now shine as the Star Angels indeed!

Every one of them, rich or poor—clean or soiled has a new appeal. We have suddenly become a little richer; for a moment there is more change in our purse than we thought, but never enough.

A time when we wish that all the children in the world might know the Babe Incarnate as their very own brother, and we pray that it may come to pass.

We really hear the sound of the

Eastman Drops Charge, Settles Anti-Trust Case

WASHINGTON, Dec. 21 (AP)—Eastman Kodak Co. has agreed to sell Kodachrome and Kodacolor camera films without the processing charge now included in the purchase price.

The decision was announced today by Atty. Gen. Brownell, who said the agreement settled an anti-trust proceeding which the Justice Department had started against Eastman, the world's largest manufacturer of photographic materials.

It means a reduction in the initial price of Kodachrome and Kodacolor films, and a chance for companies other than Eastman to process the two types of color film.

In addition, the Justice Department said a consent judgment filed in U. S. District Court at Buffalo, N. Y., requires Eastman to cancel fair trade contracts setting the sale price of its color film by dealers. This presumably will lead to price-cutting by many dealers.



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How Increase In Population Has Affected County Schools To Be Discussed By Educators

EFFECTS OF NEW population increases due to employment by the Federal government of personnel at the Tobyhanna Signal Depot and possible aid to county schools from U. S. funds will be discussed next month at a meeting at Barrett school in Canadensis.

The meeting is designed for the information of school principals in Monroe County. According to Walter H. Sebring, assistant county superintendent of schools, a Federal official will be on hand to give accurate, up-to-the-minute information on rules governing aid.

The U. S. official is Dr. John DeHart, representing the New York office of the Federal Bureau of Health, Welfare and Education. He will be accompanied by N. A. Danowsky, adviser to the School Business Division of the Department of Public Instruction in Harrisburg.

All school principals are invited to attend the conference, slated to begin at 9:30 a. m. on Wednesday, Jan. 5, Sebring said, but it is of interest primarily to principals of schools in Tobyhanna, Coolbaugh, Paradise and Barrett Townships. In cases where the district does not employ a school principal a representative of the school board is urged to attend, Sebring said.

Under terms of present laws and regulations the Federal government is authorized to allocate funds to assist in the building of schools or their maintenance and to pay tuition to districts where enrollment is affected by Federal employment.

The local conference has been scheduled in response to continued requests from school officials for some relief to their districts. In addition to the Monroe schools the Greene-Dreher school at Newfoundland has also shown effects of the added employment in the area, Sebring said.

Miss MacLaren Secretary Of State Group

MARGARET MacLaren, Stroudsburg, will serve her second year as secretary of the Pennsylvania Association of Extension Home Economists. The association held its annual meeting Dec. 14 in State College.

Officers who will serve with Miss MacLaren are: president, Mayne Lovelace, West Chester, Chester County; first vice-president, Mrs. Margaret L. Haines, Wellsboro, Tioga County; second vice-president, Mrs. Rachel Hoffmeier, Lehigh, Carbon County; and treasurer, Ruth Kredell, York, York County.

Miss MacLaren, extension home economist in Monroe County for the past eleven years, is a member of Epsilon Sigma Phi, national honorary extension fraternity.

Crommett Wills \$5,500 Estate

AN ESTATE estimated at \$5,500 was left by Charles W. Crommett, 78, of Stroudsburg EDI, who died Dec. 17, according to wills probated at the register's office.

Mr. Crommett instructed that several \$100 bequests be made—including some to East Stroudsburg Catholic Church, Kellers Reformed Church, Salvation Army and the General Hospital in East Stroudsburg.

Half of the remaining estate goes to Clyde Fish, Flatbrookville, N. J.; and one-fourth each to Mrs. Cora Tremberth, Easton, and Naomi Martin, Newton, N. J.

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Mrs. Tiebout, Brooklyn, Dies

MRS. KATHERINE Tiebout, 8451 Beverly Road, Kew Gardens, mother of Edward Tiebout, Cherry Lane, died at the Park Place Nursing Home, Brooklyn, on Sunday morning. Mrs. Tiebout had been ill

for many weeks and resided with her son Edward until entering the nursing home about the middle of December. Services were held at the A. Chester Smith funeral parlors, Brooklyn. The Tiebouts have been coming to the Poconos for many years and now have a permanent summer residence in this section.

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So Much For So Little!

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Ever notice how this organization avoids high pressure fund raising? They just mail you their Christmas Seals with a self-addressed return envelope. All you have

to do is make a return for the seals without any personal approaches from solicitors. Ever stop to think how modest a sum the society seeks? This year its service to you includes purchase of a \$6,000 chest X-ray machine to serve all of you in detecting tuberculosis and other diseases of the chest.

There are still some 3,260 of you Monroe Countyans who have not made returns. Make them now—before Christmas.

Defense Planning

Despite the anticipated reluctance of many members of Congress to take a strong stand in the matter of the new military manpower program announced last week by the Secretary of Defense, it is possible that they will see the necessity for such legislation and hazard the critical comments of some unthinking constituents when the act is introduced at the next session.

This belief was expressed by Bernard Shanley, the President's special counsel, who listened in the other day when President Eisenhower outlined the United States defense policy to both Republican and Democrats.

When the President started to explain his personal attitude on the nation's defense problems Republicans and Democrats sat up and were impressed by his obvious sincerity and by the realization that there is

no one else better equipped to handle a difficult job.

The assembled members of both major parties are not the only ones who now know the President's mastery of defense needs for our nation and for the world, for the Russians gained this knowledge through close contact with Gen. Eisenhower during World War II and must have carried this knowledge back to the Kremlin.

National defense, quite obviously, is the task of every one of us, but since most of us cannot have an active part in it, then it behooves us to listen to the voice of experience as represented by the President when he tells us what our country needs.

Perhaps the next Congress will take courageous action when the overall plan for greater national security is presented to them. Time will not permit them much further delay.

Home And Prisoners

An American mother received a letter from her son the other day. He is in China and can't come home. This is Christmas-time, and his letter sounds like he is a homesick, heartsick man.

He asked his mother to send him the sheet music for three special songs at this time of year—"White Christmas," "Winter Wonderland," and "Dear Hearts and Gentle People."

We know that Pfc. Richard Tenneson must wish that he were not in China. He must wish that he could hear the soft, gentle sounds of Christmas music with the

dear and gentle people like his mother, from whom he is separated.

But, somehow, while we are sorry for Richard Tenneson, our heart does not go out to him.

Our heart goes out, this Christmas, to other Americans who are longing so terribly to be back with their families. They, too, are in China. They can't come home because they are in Communist prisons, hostages of the cold war. Richard Tenneson knows what it is like to be a prisoner. He was one during the Korean war. In a way, he still is. He is one of the turncoats who chose to stay with the Reds.

George Sokolsky Says . . .

Some Of Ike's Political Advisors Do Not Dislike Or Resent Being Named Republican

For 30 years, more or less, I have been listening to various Republicans discuss ways and means for destroying the Republican Party. The theory has been that, if the offensive name Republican could be removed, the South would flock en masse to the Republicans and thus an election could be won. The late Al Smith and the late Governor Joseph P. Kamp of Massachusetts and the late John J. Raskob had such thoughts, and while they were Democrats, many Republicans in the bleak years of Franklin D. Roosevelt listened to the tune of the Laredo.

The Liberty League was an emanation of this thought but it died more or less, a-borning, although it must be said, with a golden spoon in its mouth manufactured by the Du Ponts. The Jeffersonian Democrats were another group that tried their hand at bipartisanship without the cursed word, Republican. In the distant past, Theodore Roosevelt organized the Progressive Party, popularly referred to as the Bull Moose, and the elder Robert La Follette kept the name but made nothing of it. The Communists eventually seized it and ran Henry Wallace and Glen Taylor for the Presidency and Vice-Presidency under it, much to their misfortune, as it eliminated both from American political life.

Many men change their names in the hope of advantage; some even change their faces by plastic

surgery. But generally such betrayals of a past and a patriotism bring little or nothing because there are always long memories and sad regrets. Political parties continue, as individuals do, within the margins of their traditions. Most Republicans and Democrats vote for their parties by tradition and habit rather than by premeditation and conviction. They just cannot vote otherwise without seeming to be-fool their mothers or besmirch the family name. Conviction comes mostly to those who have no political habits and are forced either to make a decision or stay away from the polls. Throughout the bleak years of Roosevelt and Truman, the Republicans managed to keep a residue of more than 20,000,000 supporters.

Apparently some of President Eisenhower's political advisers dislike or resent the name, Republican, because so many of them have only lightly been associated with that party or not at all. Were we in note the political allegiances of the President himself, who for 37 years of adult life was vocationally non-political or of Paul Hoffman, Lucius Clay, John J. McCloy and Milton Eisenhower, it would be found that Republican tradition lay upon them much like confetti upon a wedding party.

And so it is being propagandized that the term, "Moderate Progressive" be used. No one has yet said that the label, Republican, be dropped but we are slowly, gradually being led into something called "Moderate Progressives," a slight modification of Theodore Roosevelt's and Robert La Follette's Progressive Party. Some call it "Progressive Moderates," which is worse.

would eliminate many people from really celebrating the Christmas season as God would want us to.

Last but not least Christmas is being spelled with an X. Is that what we think of Christ just an old X. And what about our children. How many of them think of Christmas as the birthday of Jesus or just as a time for presents? Do they really know the meaning of Christmas?

That is why I say congratulations again to the priest for giving some of us that shock to awaken us to realization. Although the words were harsh and rough they were being used as a means towards an end, and I think you have accomplished it.

One last thought derived from that letter more so now than ever before. Let us keep the Christ in Christmas in more ways than one.

J. N. T.

State flower of Ohio is the scarlet carnation.

AND VISIONS OF SUGAR PLUMS DANCED THROUGH THEIR HEADS



My America

—by Harry Boyd

Adult Conversation Course At Drake Sound Proposition

I see where they have an adult course in conversation at Drake University. What the measurable results have been, I don't know. But it's a good idea. I'll bet a sizable percentage of adults in every community in the country would like to be exposed to some education of that kind.

Plenty of people yearn to listen to more interesting conversation, and most of them wish they had what it takes to dish out a little. I suppose the main reason there aren't more opportunities to learn what good conversation is and how to achieve it is that it's hard to get qualified teachers. The production of stimulating conversation is not an exact science but an art.

Concise is not unknown among artists, but when an artist has an unduly high opinion of his own ability, that very attitude tends to discourage enthusiastic sharing of the opinion by others. Thus anybody who professes to be competent to show others how to converse interestingly thereby creates a defensive attitude among both his pupils and casual kibitzers.

No attitude could put a more effective damper on lively, spontaneous conversation.

I am assuming that they have got around this road-block somehow at Drake and that the classroom conversations there do not often run afoul of such stuffy offerings as:

"But before we proceed further, Hemingway, should we not first agree upon our definitions of terms?"

I am assuming, further, that they also have found a way of dealing with over-inflation of the chit-chat with determinedly cute and fetching personality, that nauseating band of the panel shows.

These assumptions may be unwarranted but I prefer to hope that the people at Drake have developed really workable techniques for training run-of-the-mill bores to carry on fascinating conversations. That would mean that the techniques could be put into use elsewhere.

There's a great need for some intensive training in this line. If it weren't for television, the weather, poor health, sports and cute-saying children the silences when people get together in small social groups would be unendurable. And those topics have been so thoroughly exhausted over the years that they long since would have been abandoned but for the necessity of keeping up a steady hum of comforting noise.

It's a shame that people can't get together often for an evening of enlightening, amusing and stimulating talk without buying tickets to pay someone for supplying it.

When I say good conversation I am not thinking of the kind of stuff that sounds like the second act in a Noel Coward play or that could be transcribed and published without editing. All I mean is easy, natural exchange of meaty ideas with no reference to religion, McCarthy, or how many eggs the different ones use in a sponge cake. Millions of people are hungry for it.

Try and Stop Me

—by Bennet Cerf

Never underestimate the power of the radio! A used car dealer in Los Angeles had almost sold an expensive model when he said, "Even the radio is in perfect condition. Listen!" He flipped the switch just in time for a pitchman to announce that another used car dealer down the block was offering the very same model for \$150 less! The prospective customer thanked the dealer warmly and, while the radio was still blaring, disappeared in the direction of the competitor's lot!

"Ah, this progressive education," sighs Frances Merriam. "When I was a tot I firmly believed babies came from storks. My children don't even believe baby storks come from storks!"

Effective warning poem broadcast by a Los Angeles station just before a big holiday weekend: "At sixty per, he took the curve. A car swung out; he couldn't swerve. The other guy was wrong, they say. But the funeral starts at two today."

Americans write about 14 million checks a day.

The linotype machine was invented by Ottmar Mergenthaler.

CUTIES

—By E. Simms Campbell.



"Don't make me TOO glamorous! I don't want to attract too much attention."

Robert S. Allen Reports

Ike's Domestic Program Will Be Very Extensive

WASHINGTON, December 22—

President Eisenhower's domestic legislative program for next year will be even more extensive than has been officially disclosed.

In addition to the twelve major measures that were listed by the White House following the conference with the Republican congressional leaders, six others also were discussed. These important proposals are:

Federal aid for school construction.

A new national transportation policy.

Revision of the Natural Gas Act to exempt certain producers from federal control, particularly as prescribed in a widely-criticized Supreme Court decision.

Anti-crime legislation aimed primarily at eradicating gambling and narcotics syndicates.

Legalizing the use of wiretapping evidence in federal courts, with this authority vested in the Attorney General.

Reason these measures were not included in the White House announcement is that various details are still under consideration. Differences on them exist both within the Administration and among the legislative chiefs. So, pending final agreement, it was decided to say nothing until later.

But the six unmentioned proposals are definitely part of the President's 1955 domestic program, and they will be formally projected in either his State of the Union message or in special messages.

The President was very positive about that in the meeting with the congressional leaders, and none of them indicated dissent.

How they're thinking—Attorney General Herbert Brownell made it clear he is not giving any ground in insisting the Justice Department have control over wiretapping.

This unyielding demand was the chief reason this legislation got nowhere in the last Congress. The House passed a bill, but gave the federal courts authority over wiretapping. Brownell then carried his fight to the Senate Judiciary Committee, which shelved the bill completely. It is still gathering dust there.

He told the GOP chiefs that he is determined to renew his battle in the coming Congress.

"This legislation is essential," he contended, "and I will continue fighting for it. The government has to have it in order to effec-

tively combat treason, subversion, and sabotage."

Brownell also explained that the Administration will advocate a "package" anti-crime measure. "We plan to stress this legislation as we did anti-subversive legislation at the last session," he said. "We will submit a package bill of which the main features will be curbs on the transmission of gambling information across state lines and doing the same thing on transporting slot machines and other gambling devices."

Interior Secretary Douglas McKay and Commerce Secretary Sinclair Weeks presented general outlines of the water resources and national transportation plans they are formulating. The President disclosed that Defense Secretary Charles Wilson and Agriculture Secretary Ezra Benson are working with McKay, as a special Cabinet subcommittee, on the water program.

One of the congressional leaders asked Secretary Benson about a new "diary program." It was pointed out that Congress ordered such a plan was to be submitted in January.

"We know that," said Benson, "and we're working on it. Certain aspects are incomplete, but a definite program will be laid before Congress."

Note: Speaker Joe Martin flatly predicted the Democrats will not cut taxes or rewrite the Administration's flexible farm price-support law. The New Englander told the President, "The Democrats don't have the votes to put those things over, regardless of their talk. That's just politics." Martin also decided third party prospects, saying, "If anything like that should get going, it will hurt the Democrats more than it will us. It will draw more votes from them than from Republicans." He also predicted a "relatively short session which will wind up by the middle of July, at the latest."

Politicians—The Washington chapter of ADA (Americans for Democratic Action) is staging something new in cocktail parties. It's giving one at which participants are required to pay \$1.50 admittance fee. The large army of Capital "free-loaders" is highly indignant at this disruptive innovation and it is a virtual certainty they will boycott the shindig to a man. . . . San Francisco's mayoralty election doesn't take place until next November, but Representative Jack Shelley, D., already has withdrawn from the race. He has announced he will not be a candidate. . . . Able Senator John Sherman Cooper (R., Ky.), who was defeated in November, is the probable next Ambassador to Iran, if he will take the job. He has been offered it.

They will see the big 4-H competition for the baby bee prize, the rural talent festival involving more than 1,000 persons; sporting events such as horseshoe pitching and log sawing.

Future Farmers of America will be there in force with all sorts of exhibitions and projects, and their town and country choros.

It's a tremendous display, filled with interest and entertainment. If you've never seen the Farm Show, do it this year.

10 Years 20 Ago

—by C. H. Westbrook

10 Years Ago

Christmas Dinner—The day shift girls of Pocono Textile enjoyed a Christmas dinner at Green Leaf Tea Rooms. Also the birthday of Rita Williams was observed.

Graduation—Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Price, Mountainhome, left for Syracuse to attend graduate exercises for their daughter, Doris, from school of design.

Birthday—Harriet May, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jonas T. May, celebrated her 16th birthday at a supper with friends.

Yule Party—The Ever Welcome SS Class of Hamilton Church held annual Christmas party at the home of Mrs. Helen Rogers. The hostess was assisted by Mrs. Avis Williams.

20 Years Ago

Cantata—"The Prince of Peace" will be presented at St. John's Lutheran Church, starting 11:30 Christmas Eve, under direction of Charles Wetteraus with Mrs. Milton Keller at the piano. A special Christmas sermon will be presented by Rev. P. N. Wohlman.

White Christmas—Mrs. Clifford Heller will be chairman of White Christmas entertainment at the Presby. Church on Sunday.

Musical—Mrs. Harry Kresge, E. S., announces program of E. S. Meth. Church program for Sunday evening. On program is local string quartet—Willard Wolfe, Dr. R. B. Irwin, Herbert Kistler and Lowell Terpening.

C. A. S.—Miss Vida Kintner, E. S., will lead in games for Children's Aid party on Saturday.

The Italian shrew is the smallest mammal in the world. It weighs less than an ounce.

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Farm Show Major Event Of January

—by H. G. Heller

The world's biggest indoor farm exposition—the Pennsylvania Farm Show—opens in Harrisburg for its 39th straight year on Jan. 10.

Once again the State Farm Show Commission looks for crowds approaching the half million mark during the five-day event. In fact the commission predicts the 1955 feature will be "by far the best ever."

The Farm Show has an almost phenomenal attraction—and from groups not remotely engaged in farming. Pennsylvanians and hundreds from other states take in at least one day, and night of the show regardless of weather conditions.

The Pocono Mountains region, ranging from the State Belt of Upper Northampton across Monroe, Pike and up into Wayne County is always very well represented by exhibitors, especially in the Vocational Home Economic, and the Vocational Agriculture Divisions.

This year's exposition is dedicated to the Pennsylvania State University, seat of high level farm education for a century. Both the university and the show have common roots.

Through the efforts of the Pennsylvania State Agricultural Society, organized in 1851, the present university was chartered in 1955 as the Pennsylvania Farmers' High School.

This same organization sponsored the first state fair in 1851, which eventually developed into the present-day indoor Pennsylvania State Farm Show, started here in 1917.

But the original founders probably never visualized the later results of their efforts—a world famous university and the world's greatest farm exposition.

This year visitors to the giant 15-acre building will review a wide range of features from the largest pieces of farm equipment manufactured in the nation to the traditional farm show delicacy, the baked potato.

They will see the big 4-H competition for the baby bee prize, the rural talent festival involving more than 1,000 persons; sporting events such as horseshoe pitching and log sawing.

Future Farmers of America will be there in force with all sorts of exhibitions and projects, and their town and country choros.

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My New York

—by Mel Heimer

New York—Things one New Yorker thinks about:

It is possible that a small, graying, soft-spoken gent named Max Gordon, who operates the Village Vanguard, may be, all in all, New York's top saloon owner. It was at the Vanguard that such assorted souls as Jule Holiday, Josh White, Burl Ives, Harry Belafonte, Wally Cox, Orson Bean, Eartha Kitt, Pearl Bailey, Carol Channing—and so on and on—got their first crack at the big time in show business. Most of these citizens returned to the place recently for a big 20th anniversary party. Gordon remembers the 1934 opening of the Vanguard, with a grin:

"It should be called 'How to open a night club without money.' A friend of mine did the carpentry work for nothing. We merely plugged our lights into a switch in the building. We bought a pot-bellied stove for \$3. The paint job was done on credit and we paid off the \$100 at \$3 a week. The furnishings came from another club which had gone out of business because it couldn't afford a stove to heat the place. It was amazing, but we opened and from that time forward, I've been in business."

I am intrigued today by the psychological make-up of Kermit Schafer and hope one of these days to do a complete analysis of him. He's the man who sits watching TV endlessly and listening eternally to the radio, to catch "bloopers," which he compiles in book and record-album form. It is possible this man is a first cousin of the guy who is hired to wig-wag a false start, at the New York racetracks, of the gent who is always first in line at the openings of subways or tunnels. Schafer's press agent says he "hasn't stopped collecting bloopers and claims he

never will." Well. All right, then.

The Bronx, these days, is full of civilian guards at school crossings, who work four hours a day at \$1.50 per hour. There is something almost ludicrous about watching a housewife imperiously directing traffic—but the scheme works. Accidents have been cut virtually to nothing. This is, I understand, an old story in other cities. The other weekend I ran into a nest of such guards in Baltimore, and couldn't run down a single little scholar.

We have in town here a steak house called Ronnie's (I think it's the only king-sized steak joint in the United States that's run by a woman), that regularly keeps in its windows about \$10,000 worth of steak. This seems a trifle incongruous when one considers that Ronnie's is situated in W. 52nd St. at the address where once dwelt the Hobo News.

I note where Ernie Kovacs seems to be thriving nicely on his nighttime TV show. I am fascinated by Ernie's wonderful characters: Poet Percy Dovetonsils; Matzoh Heppelwhite, the itinerant magician; Pierce Ragout, French storyteller; Heathcliff Goldsboro, the silent-screen villain, and Uncle Gruesome, teller of fairy tales for morbid children. In addition to all these, Ernie has "in his stable" the talented Edith (Wonderful Town) Adams, who, it is possible, may be the nicest girl in New York.

Personal opinion: Maurice Evans, masterful Macbeth on TV was about twice as good as his very good stage production of it, years ago. Aside from the vital factor of being "live," I don't see how the stage can match the fascinating flexibility and mobility of TV production.

Letters To The Editor

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Sunday Night
In reply to the letter that was written by a priest and some of the other replies . . .

To All:
After reading some of the letters to the Editor in the Daily Record, I would like to add my bit. First congratulations to the priest, why, because through his letter he has awakened in some of us the fact that we are changing Christmas into something materialistic, rather than spiritualistic.

Some of you will say, but he did not have to use those rough words and descriptions. To tell you the truth he was using some cheap psychology on us, that of the shock treatment type. By hitting us right between the eyes

and pulling no punches, he brought out the good in Christmas through the replies he had gotten.

Why did he write that letter? Just look around you and you'll see. Is Christ portrayed as much as Santa Claus during the season or just on Christmas Eve and Christmas Day? Do as many children pray to God for guidance and give thanks as compared to those that write to Santa Claus while it is really His season and birthday? How many people actually give gifts as did the Wise men, that is to show thanks and respect and to bring happiness or do these people give gifts because they expect one in return or to give their children more than the Jones' I'm afraid these questions

would eliminate many people from really celebrating the Christmas season as God would want us to.

Last but not least Christmas is being spelled with an X. Is that what we think of Christ just an old X. And what about our children. How many of them think of Christmas as the birthday of Jesus or just as a time for presents? Do they really know the meaning of Christmas?

That is why I say congratulations again to the priest for giving some of us that shock to awaken us to realization. Although the words were harsh and rough they were being used as a means towards an end, and I think you have accomplished it.

One last thought derived from that letter more so now than ever before. Let us keep the Christ in Christmas in more ways than one.

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New Church To Hold First Midnight Mass

BRODHEADSVILLE—Our Lady Queen of Peace Catholic Church will hold its first midnight mass here at Friday midnight in celebration of Christmas.

A high mass, sung by the entire congregation, will be held to celebrate the birth of Christ.

The mass will be preceded by Christmas carols also sung by the entire congregation. Carol singing will get underway at 11:45 p.m. Confessions will be held from 8 to 9 p.m. and from 10:30 to 11:30 p.m.

Everyone is invited to attend the first mass of its kind held in Our Lady Queen of Peace Church.

BLAKESLEE—There will be a midnight mass at Christ King Church here on Christmas Eve. Rev. W. P. McAndrew will conduct the service.

Army Announces Command Changes

WASHINGTON, Dec. 21 (AP)—The Army today announced that Lt. Gen. Anthony C. McAuliffe, famed combat leader in the Battle of the Bulge, will be made commanding general of U. S. Army forces in Europe.

He will succeed Gen. William M. Hoge, veteran of both World Wars and Korea, who will retire at the end of next month.

McAuliffe will be succeeded in command of the Seventh Army in Europe by Lt. Gen. Henry I. Hodes, who now commands the Seventh Corps. No successor has been named for Hodes.

Lancaster Cattle

LANCASTER, Dec. 21 (AP)—Cattle \$35, market well cleared of fat steers. calves 190, light receipts steady. Hogs 26, higher than Monday. Pigs 20.50-21.00. Sheep 19, no lambs on market.

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McComas Chapel Plans Party, Service

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After the service, Santa Claus will appear and give gifts to all children and young people in attendance, according to Rev. Edgar B. Moore, pastor.

Christmas Eve Program Planned

BUSHKILL—The Dutch Reformed Church will hold a Christmas Eve candlelight service Friday at 8 p.m. Rev. John H. Lackey will deliver the message.

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Treasury Balance

WASHINGTON, Dec. 21 (AP)—The cash position of the Treasury Dec. 16: Balance \$5,266,727,649.57. Deposits \$22,979,013,738.13. Withdrawals \$31,175,648,057.51. Total debt \$278,568,721,718.80. Gold assets \$21,711,551,295.44. X—includes \$528,236,984.47 debt not subject to statutory limit.

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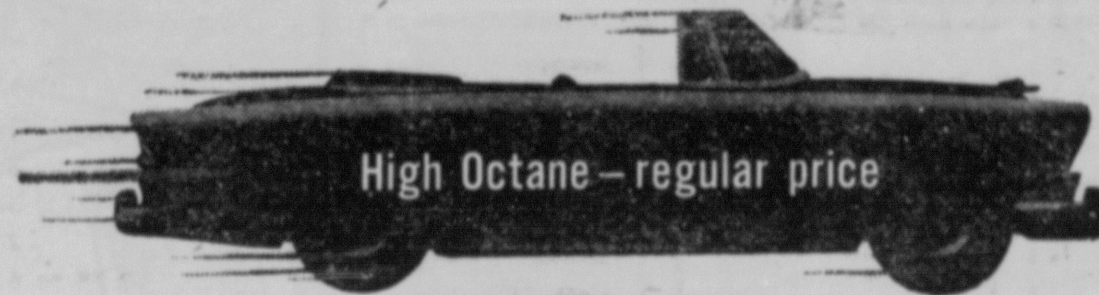
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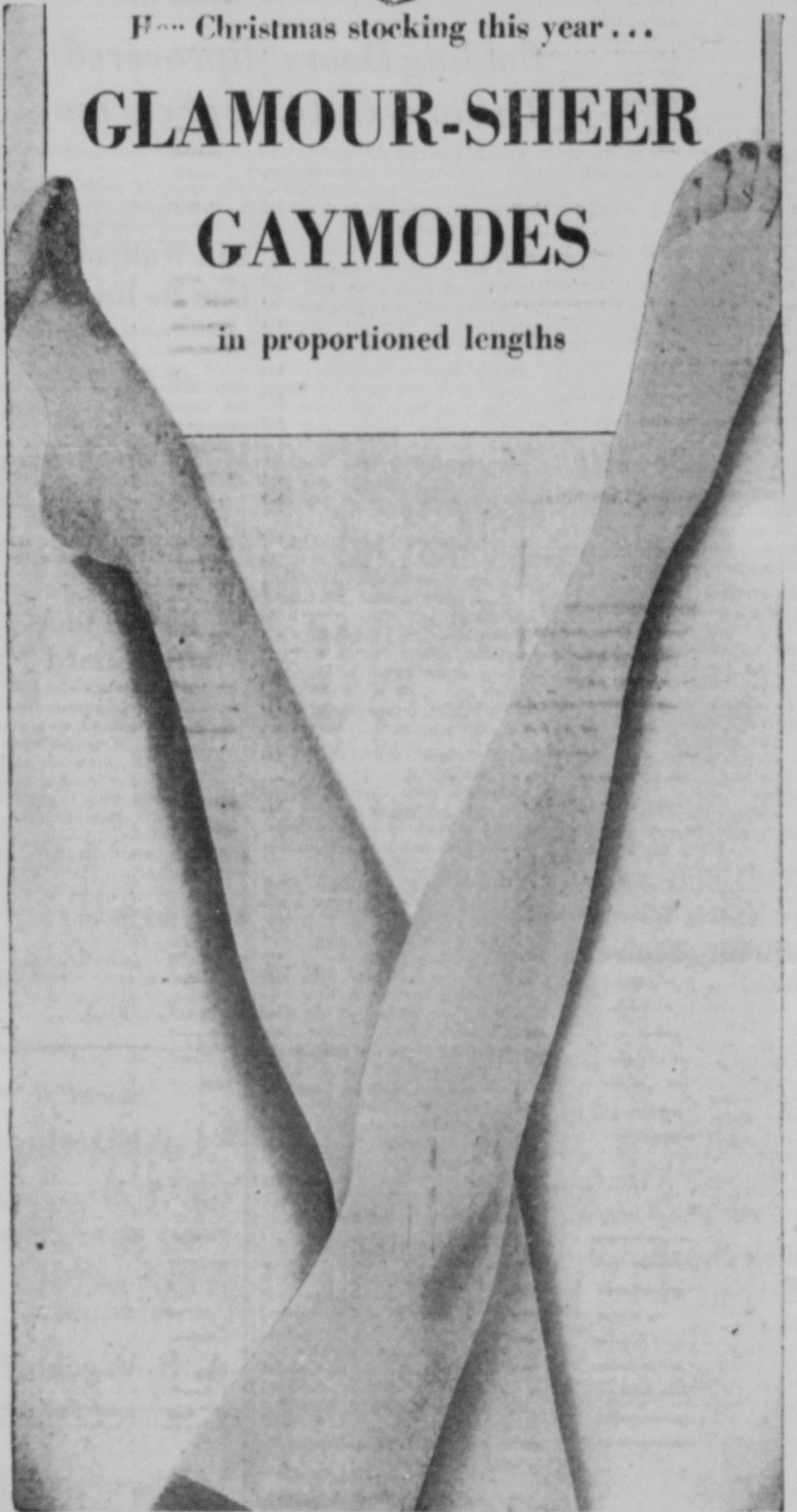
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Buying Flurry Wipes Out Early Decline

NEW YORK, Dec. 21 (AP)—The stock market ran into minor selling troubles today, but it managed to close a shade higher on the strength of a buying flurry just before the finish.

Most of the day was spent with prices moving irregularly over a range of around 2 points either way. With a few exceptions that's the way it was at the finish.

This is the fifth straight day that the market has advanced, one of the longer periods of betterment since the explosive phase of the bull market started after the election.

60 stocks gained 20 cents at \$153.30, another new 25-year high mark, the best since Sept. 7, 1929, when the average stood at \$154.20.

In fact, there have been only three days in the history of the stock market higher than today. The all-time peak was \$157.70 on Sept. 3, 1929.

Philadelphia Eggs

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 21 (AP)—Eggs: Steady. Receipts 6,887. Wholesale selling prices are as follows: Minimum 10 per cent AA quality large whites 38-40; browns 36½-37½; medium whites 32-32½; browns 30-32; extra minimum 60 per cent A quality large whites 34-36½; mixed colors 34-35; medium whites 30-31; mixed colors 30-31; standards 21-22; checks 23-27.

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Eisenhowers Make Holiday Plans

WASHINGTON, Dec. 21 (AP)—President and Mrs. Eisenhower will spend Christmas and New Year's at Augusta, Ga., where the President plans to get in some golf and

work on three messages to Congress. The White House said today the Eisenhowers will fly down Thursday and return about Jan. 3, three days before the President is to deliver in person his annual address to Congress on the state of the union.

Other messages, one on the fed-

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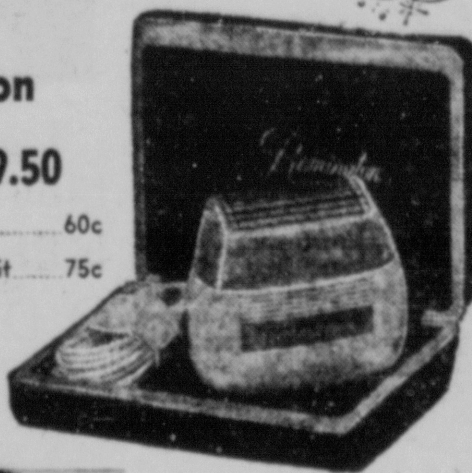
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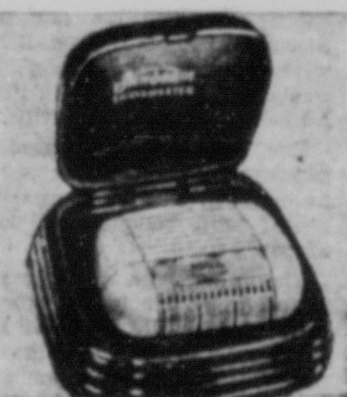
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Lt. Morman Married To Texas Girl

The picture and story of the wedding of Second Lt. Richard Laurie Morman, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Morman, of Stroudsburg, have arrived from Texas where he was married on October 2, at 5:30 p.m.

The bride was Miss Dorothy Joanne Corenflus, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George E. Pease, of 311 Shenandoah, Houston, Texas.

The marriage took place in the chapel of the First Presbyterian Church of Houston in a candle-light ceremony performed by Rev. Thomas P. Lovett. The altar arrangements were of gladioli and chrysanthemums.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a gown of Chantilly lace and tulle, an original design by Frances. It had an open portrait neckline, scalloped with hand-clipped lace flowers, a sculptured bodice fastened with small covered buttons and glove fitting sleeves ending in petal points at the hand. A floor-length tulle skirt veiled a Chantilly lace petticoat over satin. Her fingertip veil of silk illusion was held in place by a tiara of bridal jewels. She carried a prayer book with a bouquet of carnations, stephanotis and an orchid.

Mrs. Carole Goff was matron of honor, and Miss Janet Sue Corenflus, sister of the bride, was bridesmaid. They both wore strapless gowns of royal blue with molded velvet bodices topped with tulle and appliqued velvet flowers, full ballerina skirts. They wore matching tulle stoles and beaded tiaras with nose veils and carried cascades of American beauty roses.

Second Lt. Kenneth R. Baliles was best man and Second Lt. Robert Fredrickson was groomsmen. The ushers were David and Dick Goff.

The mother of the bride wore a dress of misty beige alienen lace with a yoke of nylon tulle, studded with rhinestones. She had an orchid corsage.

Immediately following the ceremony, a reception was held with ushers of the bride: Mrs. Bert Sudduth and Mrs. Brentley Banta, assisting.

Lt. and Mrs. Morman will make their home in Waco, Texas, where he is navigation instructor at James Connally Air Force Base.

Faithful Workers Party Held At Baines Home

Hamilton — Three Faithful Workers Class of the Hamilton Union Sunday School held its annual Christmas party at the home of Mrs. Pearl Baines, Sciota, on Tuesday night, December 14. Lydia Howter, president, was in charge of the meeting. The scripture was read by Ethel Rinker and the prayer was given by Rev. John Bergstresser.

A social time followed with games and the exchange of gifts and refreshments. Lydia Howter was re-elected as president. Other officers elected included Ida Dennis, vice president; Pearl Baines, second vice president; Emma Haney, secretary; Ethel Rinker, treasurer; Bessie Metzgar, flower fund; Ruth Shoemaker, reporter.

A social time followed with games, the exchange of gifts, and refreshments. Anna Lock and Pearl Baines were hostesses. Those present were: Emma Haney, Bessie Metzgar, Ida Dennis, Jennie Cortright, Anna Haney, Lydia Howter, Ethel Rinker,



The Record Social News

Bobby Westbrook, Social Editor—Phone 2160-R

Nicholas-Derhammer Wedding Hel

Kunkletown — Miss Alma L. Derhammer, daughter of Mrs. Elsie Derhammer, of Kunkletown, became the bride of Gordon Nicholas, also of Kunkletown, on Saturday, December 18, at 9 a.m. at St. Matthew's Ev. Reformed Church. Rev. Adan A. Bohner performed the ceremony.

The bride wore a navy blue dress with navy accessories. There were no attendants at the quiet wedding. After a wedding trip to New Jersey and New York City, Mr. and Mrs. Nicholas will make their home in Kunkletown. They are both employed at the N. J. Zinc Co., Palmerton.



Miss Harriet Learn

Local Group Off For California

A group of local people left Saturday for a trip to California. Included in the group were Mr. and Mrs. Perry Fritz, Mrs. Elizabeth Colvin and Mr. and Mrs. Asher Fritz, of Arlington Heights. They will visit relatives in Victorville and Martinez, Cal.

Miss Learn To Tour Europe With College Choir

Tannersville — Harriet Learn, a member of the Pennsylvania State University Chapel Choir, is one of the 70 members planning on touring Europe this coming summer. She is the daughter of the Mrs. J. Walter Learn now living in Bartonsville, and the late J. Walter Learn of Dushore.

Miss Learn was graduated from Pocono High School in the class of '54 and is enrolled as a freshman in Music Education at the university. She is a member of the Woman's Chorus on campus, is active in the Lutheran Student Association, and is director of a junior choir at the Lutheran Church in State College.

The choir is to be accompanied on its trip by Willa C. Taylor, choir director and professor of music education; Rev. Luther H. Harshbarger, University chaplain, and three others not yet decided upon. They will leave New York for London by plane about June 18 and return about August 1.

A limited number of ten, concerts are being arranged and the choir will also visit the universities at Oxford and Cambridge. The temporary itinerary for the choir includes The United Kingdoms, France, Switzerland, Italy and possibly the Netherlands and Germany.

The schedule is to include the music festivals at Lyons and Aix in Provence, France. The group will travel on the continent by bus and by rail, and will stay at small hotels and student dormitories.

Christian Pals See Christmas Paintings

The Christian Pals Class of the Stroudsburg Methodist Church held a party on Monday night at the church. Mrs. Katherine Stiff led the devotion and Mrs. Roger Stinson showed colored slides depicting the birth of Christ, part of the series of studies being held by the class on "Christ and the Fine Arts."

At the business meeting, Christmas committees were named. Mrs. Marie Rutt told a story, "Miracle at Darriek, Texas." Mrs. Dorothy Staples and Mrs. Margaret Ackerman, program chairmen, had arranged a number of quiz games. One of the winners, Mrs. Warner of Mount Pocono, was elected to play Santa Claus and distributed the gifts.

Leroy Seese Marries In Norfolk, Va.

Barrett—Miss Marion White Minton, daughter of Mrs. T. L. Minton and the late T. L. Minton, of Lewiston, N. C., and Leroy Robert Seese, son of Mr. and Mrs. David Seese, of Cresco, were married at the YWCA Chapel in Norfolk, Va., at 5 p.m. on December 19. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Edgar A. Potts, pastor of Epworth Methodist Church, Norfolk.

The altar was decorated with evergreens, mixed white flowers and ferns. Wedding music was played by Mrs. Vincent Strickland. The soloist, Mrs. William H. Gitting, sang "O, Perfect Love," and "The Lord's Prayer."

The bride, who was given in marriage by her brother, Worley Minton, wore a ballerina length gown of white Chantilly lace and nylon tulle over satin. The molded bodice was fashioned with a wide scoop neckline edged with medallions of lace and iridescent sequins, long tapered sleeves ending in wedding points over the hand, and a very full billowing skirt of nylon tulle which was accented by medallions of Chantilly lace and sequins applied on it. Her shoulder length veil was arranged from a half hat of starched Chantilly lace embroidered with seed pearls and sequins. She carried a white Bible topped with a white orchid and satin streamers.

The matron of honor was Mrs. Kenneth H. Todd, of Richmond, Va. She wore a ballerina length gown of lilac lace and tulle fitted bodice with shirred stole, and carried a bouquet of orchid pompons and heather, and wore a bandeau of matching flowers in her hair.

The best man was James Heckman, of Canadensis.

The bride's mother wore a gown of charcoal gray crepe with black accessories and a corsage of crimson rosebuds. The bridegroom's mother wore a gown of skipper blue with navy accessories and a corsage of crimson rosebuds.

A reception was held following the ceremony in the YWCA hall. The bride's traveling costume was a blue tweed suit, navy hat and accessories with a white orchid corsage.

Out of town guests were Mrs. T. L. Minton, Mr. and Mrs. Worley Minton, Mrs. Bruce Austin and Miss Elizabeth Minton, of Lewiston, N. J.; Mr. and Mrs. David H. Seese, Cresco; James Heckman and Miss Betty Brush, Canadensis.

Following a wedding trip, Mr. and Mrs. Seese plan to make their home in Lansing, Mich. The ushers were members of the Air Force, from which Mr. Seese has just received his discharge.

Calendar Of Events

Wednesday, December 22
VFW and Auxiliary's children's party, 7:30 at VFW.
Stroudsburg High Christmas musical, 9:15 p.m.
Christmas party for Stroudsburg Methodist Sunday School, 7 to 9 p.m. in parish house.

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Portland WSCS Gives Program At Nursing Home

Portland — Eleven from the Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist Church assembled at the Davis Nursing home on Sunday afternoon and sang Christmas carols. Mrs. Nick Ervey announced the program. Mrs. Harry Bellis read the Christmas message from St. Luke. Mrs. Ervey gave the prayer, and Miss Ruth Williams read a Christmas poem. Rev. John Carter gave a short Christmas message. Each guest at the home was presented with a little gift. Mrs. John Ribble was the piano accompanist.

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East Stroudsburg Falls Victim Of Coplay's Comeback, 91-85

Cavaliers Lose In Second Half

COPLAY — Coplay High School, one of the powers in the Lehigh-Northampton Basketball League, overcame an early 11-point deficit last night to score a thrilling 91-85 decision over East Stroudsburg, here on the winning contingent's home floor.

Lehigh-Northampton Standings

Team	W	L	Pct.
Wilson Borough	2	0	1.000
Parkland	2	1	.667
Fountain Hill	2	1	.667
Coplay	2	1	.667
Nazareth	2	1	.667
Helletstown	1	1	.500
Bangor	1	2	.333
Pen Argyl	0	2	.000
East Stroudsburg	0	2	.000

East Stroudsburg, failing once again to receive any attention from Lady Luck, scored enough points to win virtually any high school game, but instead went down to its third straight Lehigh-Northampton League defeat as Coplay closed with a torrid rush.

The Cavaliers, thirsting for their initial circuit win, stepped off to a 24-13 lead after eight minutes of play on the high scoring antics of Bill Pensyl, Howard Smith and Bill Sommers, who to have Coplay come back with a 22-14 edge in the second stanza. The Cavaliers managed to adjourn to the dressing room with a 38-35 halftime advantage.

But Coplay, an annual powerhouse in the Lehigh-Northampton League, came back with a strong second half to pull the verdict out of the fire by a margin of six points.

Rick Mortimer and John Grollier had the hot hands as the home team rallied for victory, the former scoring 28 points and the latter 26. Coplay dominated the third round, 32-25, and then made certain of victory with a 25-22 edge in the final eight minutes of play.

For the third straight game East Stroudsburg outscored the opposition from the field, 36-24, but once again Coplay used the foul line to account for its favorable decision.

The home team made good on 23 of 31 free throws, while the Cavaliers found the range on 13 of 25 charity tosses.

Pensyl led the East Stroudsburg scoring with 24 tallies, while Smith and Sommers joined in the offensive output with 20 tallies each.

The Cavaliers gained a measure of revenge by winning the junior varsity battle, 55-45, as King Beers accounted for 21 tallies for the victors.

East Stroudsburg (85) FG F T
Lambert, f 5 0 10
Kinsler, f 0 0 0
Smith, f 10 0 20
Pensyl, e 10 4 24
Sommers, e 10 2 20
Gray, e 1 0 2
Kupczewski, g 2 5 9

Totals 36 15 85
Coplay (91) FG F T
Kasper, f 9 0 10
Grollier, f 9 0 20
McKibben, e 4 3 10
Mortimer, e 10 2 20
Radon, e 5 1 11
Frankovits, g 2 1 6

Totals 44 14 91
East Stroudsburg 24 14 58
Coplay 32 22 85
Officials: Traister, Cusick.

Mantle Fined For Speeding
PRYOR, Okla., Dec. 21 (AP) — Mickey Mantle, New York Yankees centerfielder, and his cousin, Max Mantle, were fined \$17.50 each in Justice Court yesterday on speeding charges growing out of their arrests on U. S. Highway 69 last Wednesday.

The highway patrol said troopers met the Mantles traveling in separate automobiles and gave chase. Mickey was arrested after being clocked at 80 miles an hour, troopers said.

Perrault Gains Verdict
DETROIT, Dec. 21 (AP) — Jimmy Perrault, 149½, of St. Paul, Minn., won a split decision over Alan Kennedy, 148½, of Bay City, Mich., in a six round bout at Motor City Arena tonight.

Furman Names Coach
GREENVILLE, S. C., Dec. 21 (AP) — Homer B. Hobbs, assistant football coach at the U. S. Naval Academy, today was named head coach at Furman University.



TOM GOLA?—No its John Schoonover, star forward for the Old Timers last night, arching backward for a graceful field goal in the first quarter of the game. George Metropoulos is pictured watching the shot, while smiling John Whitehead approaches from the right. Metropoulos and Whitehead are members of the Faculty. The two foes battled to a 14-14 tie in the second game of the tripleheader at Stroudsburg High. (Staff Photo by Riley)

Chestnuthill Evens Circuit Mark With Win Over TTHS

BRODHEADSVILLE—Chestnuthill High evens its Monroe County League basketball record at one win and a single defeat last night by scoring a 71-47 decision over Tobyhanna Township, here on the Chestnuthill court.

Bangor Takes Measure Of Pen Argyl

BANGOR—Bangor High raced to its first Lehigh-Northampton League basketball victory of the current campaign last night by scoring a 62-42 verdict over Pen Argyl, here on the home court of the winning club.

The Slaters, showing a well rounded attack, assumed an early lead against their arch rival and held the upper hand throughout the contest. Bangor outscored the visiting contingent in every period.

Coach John Heard, back at the helm of the Slaters after a brief illness, saw his forces jump off to a 10-6 lead in the first quarter and hold a 20-11 advantage at the half-way point.

Bangor really began to hit in the second half and went on to win going away. The lost eagles outscored the green and white clad Pen Argyl crew in the third round, 16-10, and then made certain of victory with a 26-21 budge in the last round.

The Slaters held a 23 15 edge in field goals and a 16-12 advantage from the foul line.

Art "Bucky" Parsons and Don Kent tied for the Bangor a-lack with 16 and 15 points, respectively. George Andrews and Jack Sanders, cock were the big guns for Pen Argyl with 19 and 12 markers respectively.

Bangor made a clean sweep of this program as Coach Paul Wagner's junior varsity marched to victory in the preliminary battle, 47-43.

Lineups follow:
Bangor (62) FG F T
Reed, f 6 3 15
Freeman, f 1 3 5
Lambert, f 0 0 0
Parsons, f 7 2 16
Heard, f 0 0 0
Warrick, e 0 0 0
Tracy, e 1 0 2
Fischer, e 3 2 6
Williams, g 1 0 4
Miller, g 4 0 10
Everett, g 0 0 0

Totals 23 15 62
Pen Argyl (42) FG F T
Querry, f 0 0 0
Moulden, f 0 0 0
Jewell, f 4 2 10
Branton, f 0 0 0
Andrews, e 7 5 19
Sanders, e 4 4 12
Kellow, g 0 0 0
Rumsey, g 0 0 0

Totals 15 12 42
Pen Argyl 6 3 19 21-42
Bangor 30 10 16 26-62
Officials: Lindenmeyer, Guschel.

Alumni Ends Stroudsburg High Streak, 69-57

Mountaineers Suffer First Court Loss

STROUDSBURG High School's four game basketball winning streak reached the end of the line last night as a fired up Alumni contingent outclassed their scholastic rival, 69-57, in the nightcap of an all-star tripleheader. The program was witnessed by the largest crowd of the season at the W. Main St. court.

The Mountaineers saw their winning streak bubble burst as a fast moving Alumni club took the play away from their younger rival and dominated the scoring column throughout the battle.

Dick Little gave the Mountaineers a 4-0 lead on two quick field goals, but the former W. Main St. stars quickly caught up and held the upper hand with plenty to spare for the remainder of the distance.

Stroudsburg, failing to demonstrate anything resembling the touch which enabled it to down East Stroudsburg, Bangor, Carbondale and Scranton Central, was apparently lost in the shuffle against the "old grads."

The Mountaineers weren't able to control the boards as expected, even though they had a big advantage in height.

Stroudsburg trailed 17-11 at the end of the first quarter and 35-26 at the halfway mark. The Alumni club continued to roll with an 18-12 advantage in the third period and then protected its lead during the fourth round, although the Mountaineers had the better of the going during the last eight minutes of play, 19-16.

The Alumni contingent held a 26-21 advantage in field goals and made good on 17 of 30 free throws. The Mountaineers hit on 15 of 25 tosses from the foul line.

Stroudsburg lost the services of Doug Shook in the second quarter when the big forward struck his head on the floor after battling for a rebound. He didn't play at all the remainder of the game.

Nevill, Stroudsburg's other high scoring forward, fouled out of the contest in the third period. Ben Miller fouled out for the Alumni.

The Reds won over the Whites in a junior varsity preliminary encounter, 25-24. The second contest featured the Old Timers and the Stroudsburg High Faculty in a 14-14 deadlock. The game was halted short of regulation time with both clubs near exhaustion.

Stroudsburg (57) FG F T
T. Metzger, f 3 1 7
W. Adelman, f 1 0 2
North, f 4 1 7
Shook, f 3 0 6
Little, e 6 4 16
Baker, e 1 4 6
Deibler, g 1 5 7
R. Metzger, g 2 0 4

Totals 21 15 57
Alumni (69) FG F T
Nevill, f 4 1 9
Byron Miller, f 1 0 2
Lisa Miller, f 1 0 2
W. Metzger, f 1 0 2
A. Adelman, e 2 1 5
Fetherman, g 4 1 13
Gravend, g 1 2 4
Jr. Little, g 1 2 4
Weingartner, g 2 0 4

Totals 30 17 69
Stroudsburg 17 18 57
Alumni 11 13 29-69
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Barrett Clips Polk To Take Over Control Of First Place

CANADENSIS—Barrett High School moved into sole possession of first place in the Monroe County League last night, a position the club held all last season, with a 63-43 basketball verdict over Polk. The game was played here on the Barrett boards.

Barrett used a near-perfect brand of "close-in" shooting to win its second circuit outing of the current campaign. The pupils of Coach Joe Murray have yet to taste defeat. Polk's record is now one-and-one.

Polk was unable to keep up with Barrett from the start, despite a brilliant solo effort by Ronnie Smith, high scoring forward who totaled 21 counters.

But Barrett had too much overall scoring punch. The home team led 16-5 at the end of the first period and was on the long end of a 37-17 count at halftime.

Barrett continued to roll in the second half and reached the three-quarter mark with a 49-37 budge and then held on to win by a margin of 20 points in the final period.

Geed Gravel put on one of the best scoring demonstrations of his career and the lanky center pumped seven field goals and 11 foul shots into the nets for 25 points.

Barrett made good on 15 of 24 foul shots, while Polk hit on 19 of 30 tosses from the same distance.

The home standing Barrett junior varsity also won the preliminary tussle, 43-31.

Lineups follow:
Barrett (63) FG F T
Prior, f 3 4 11
Schaller, f 3 0 6
Kropp, f 7 0 14
Brent, f 0 0 0
Gravel, e 7 11 25
Wilson, e 0 0 0
Matta, g 2 0 4
Mellon, g 0 0 0
Williams, g 0 0 0

Totals 24 15 63
Polk (43) FG F T
R. Smith, f 5 5 11
S. Smith, f 2 6 10
Rond, f 0 0 0
Sommers, e 0 0 0
Young, e 0 0 0
Carney, e 0 1 1
Held, e 1 2 4
Romanavage, g 0 0 0
Andrews, g 1 5 7

Totals 16 21 43
Barrett 12 19 43
Polk 12 20 43
Officials: Kist, Leonard.

Braves Sign Five Players

MILWAUKEE, Dec. 21 (AP) — Five players signed their 1955 Milwaukee Braves' contracts today, including a couple of pitching opposites.

Glenn Thompson, 6 foot 4 inch righthander and Charlie Gorin, tiny lefthander, came to terms at General Manager John Quinn's office. Thompson played with Atlanta and Gorin with Toledo in 1954.

Earlier in the day the Braves announced the signing of Chuck Tanner, a lefthander who boated a .323 mark at Atlanta last summer, ex-bonus baby Joey Jay and rookie first baseman Frank Torre.

Collegiate Basketball
Colby 81, Massachusetts 79.
Hartwick 26, Bowdoin 20.
North Carolina State 26, St. John's 25 (overtime).
Illinois 36, Rice 51.
Connecticut 90, Manhattan 79.

Walker To Join Cards As Coach

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 21 (AP)—The St. Louis Cardinals announced tonight that Dixie Walker will return to the club as a coach next spring, swapping jobs with Mike Ryba who will replace Walker as manager of Houston of the Texas League.

Cardinal Manager Eddie Stanky, in making the announcement, said Coaches John Riddle and Bill Posedel will be retained.

"The change gives us more balance in our staff," Stanky said. "Riddle was a catcher in his playing days, Posedel a pitcher, Dixie an outfielder, and I was an infielder."

The ceremony took place yesterday at Resurrection Lutheran Church. The couple left immediately on a honeymoon.

Palmer, 25, and a resident of Youngstown, Pa., announced last month his intention of turning professional to join the play-for-pay golf tournament circuit. He plans to play in the forthcoming Los Angeles Open.

His bride is 21, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Schubert Walzer, of Coopersburg, which is south of Allentown. They met while Palmer was playing in a golf tournament at Shawnee Golf and Country Club, Shawnee-on-Delaware, Pa.

Palmer's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Ron Tilley, of Falls Church, Va., were attendants at the wedding. Guests included his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Palmer.

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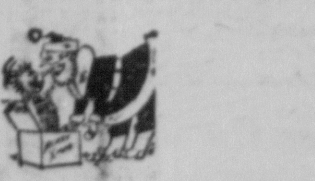
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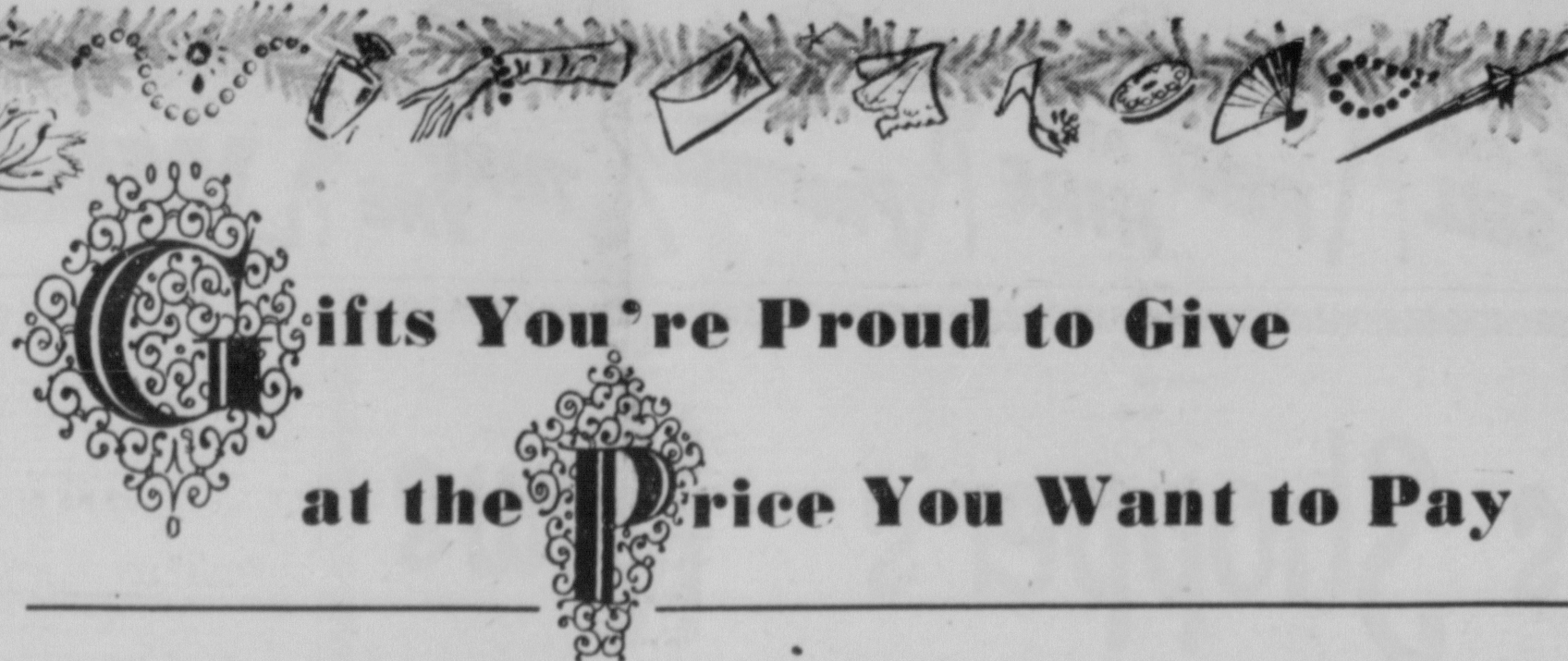
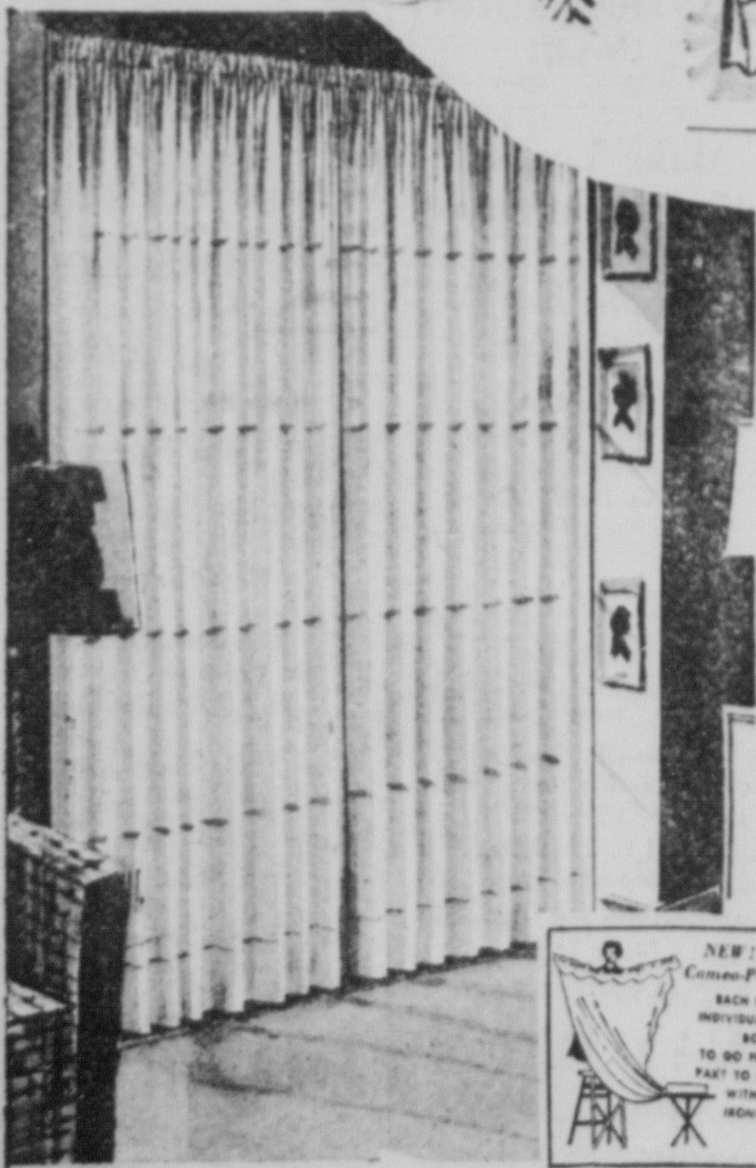
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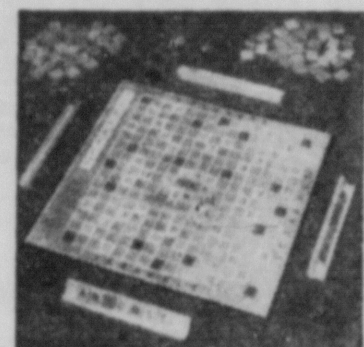
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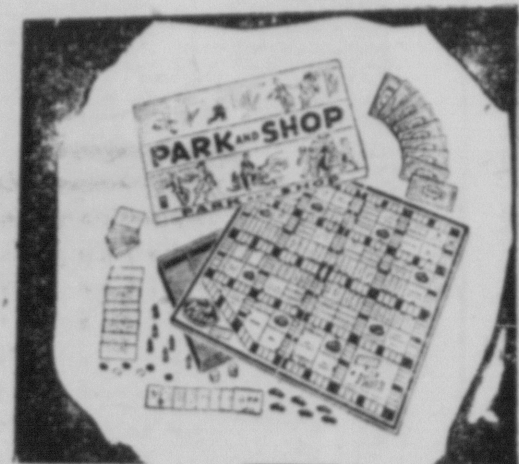


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